

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Mikio AOKI et al.

Application No.: 09/892,887

Filed: June 28, 2001

For: DATA OUTPUT CONTROL APPARATUS

Group Art Unit: 3624

Examiner: R. Weisberger

Docket No.: 109953

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**NOTICE OF APPEAL TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS
AND INTERFERENCES AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the Decision of the Primary Examiner dated November 20, 2002.

The \$320.00 Appeal Fee (\$160.00 Small Entity) is:

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 Not required (fee paid in prior appeal in this
application with no Board Decision on the merits).

The shortened statutory period for response having expired on February 20, 2003, an extension of time for a period of three months is hereby requested. Included in our check is \$520.00 pursuant to 37 CFR §1.17 for the third month extension fee. (Payment of \$ 410.00 for a two month extension was made on April 18, 2003.)

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 15-0461. Two duplicate copies of this document are enclosed.

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